

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

**SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5177**

Chapter 466, Laws of 2009

61st Legislature  
2009 Regular Session

UW GLOBAL ASIA INSTITUTE

EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/26/09

Passed by the Senate April 18, 2009  
YEAS 43 NAYS 0

BRAD OWEN

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**President of the Senate**

Passed by the House April 7, 2009  
YEAS 97 NAYS 0

FRANK CHOPP

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**Speaker of the House of Representatives**

Approved May 12, 2009, 3:05 p.m.

CHRISTINE GREGOIRE

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**Governor of the State of Washington**

CERTIFICATE

I, Thomas Hoemann, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5177** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

THOMAS HOEMANN

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**Secretary**

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May 13, 2009

**Secretary of State  
State of Washington**

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AS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

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**By** Senate Higher Education & Workforce Development (originally sponsored by Senators Shin, Delvin, Kastama, King, Rockefeller, McAuliffe, Pridemore, Hobbs, Fraser, McDermott, Jarrett, Kilmer, Keiser, Hatfield, and Roach)

READ FIRST TIME 02/25/09.

1            AN ACT Relating to establishing a global Asia institute; adding a  
2 new section to chapter 28B.20 RCW; and creating new sections.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 1.** The legislature finds that Asia and its  
5 interactions with the rest of the world are transforming the way the  
6 world works in the twenty-first century. The legislature further finds  
7 that trade, finance, technology, and global influence and institutions  
8 are all areas in which China, India, and other Asian states are in the  
9 process of reshaping the nature of the international system, and that  
10 Washington state is uniquely situated to contribute to enhance  
11 interactions between the United States and Asia. The legislature  
12 intends to establish a global Asia institute at the University of  
13 Washington.

14            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.20 RCW  
15 to read as follows:

16            (1) A global Asia institute is created within the Henry M. Jackson  
17 School of International Studies. The mission of the institute is to  
18 promote the understanding of Asia and its interactions with Washington

1 state and the world. The institute shall host visiting scholars and  
2 policymakers, sponsor programs and learning initiatives, engage in  
3 collaborative research projects, and facilitate broader understanding  
4 and cooperation between the state of Washington and Asia through  
5 general public programs and targeted collaborations with specific  
6 communities in the state.

7 (2) Within existing resources, a global Asia institute advisory  
8 board is established. The director of the Henry M. Jackson School of  
9 International Studies shall appoint members of the advisory board and  
10 determine the advisory board's roles and responsibilities. The board  
11 shall include members representing academia, business, and government.

12 (3) The higher education coordinating board may solicit, accept,  
13 receive, and administer federal funds or private funds, in trust or  
14 otherwise, and contract with foundations or with for-profit or  
15 nonprofit organizations to support the purposes of this section.

16 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** The Henry M. Jackson School of International  
17 Studies shall report to the appropriate committees of the legislature  
18 by December 1, 2010, regarding the achievements of the global Asia  
19 institute. The report shall include discussion of the achievements and  
20 challenges in accomplishing the institute's mission and recommendations  
21 regarding a path and timeline for the institute's expansion.

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